

REMARKS

A check for \$395 for the fee for filing of a Request for Continued Examination accompanies this response. Any fees that may be due in connection with the filing of this paper or with this application may be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1050. If a Petition for Extension of time is needed, this paper is to be considered such Petition. A change in Power of Attorney and correspondence address previously has been filed.

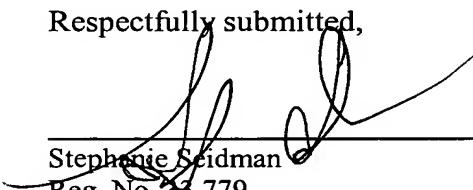
Claims 18, 26, 30, 81 and 90-103 are pending. Claims 18, 26, 30 and 81 are amended herein for clarity and to correct a typographical error. No new matter is added.

The above captioned application, as well as other applications that are related to the above captioned application, were recently transferred to the undersigned. At the time of the receipt of the Notices of Allowance, dated May 15, 2006 and October 3, 2006, that have issued in connection with the above captioned application, Applicant's representative was not in possession of all of the transferred files. Hence, a complete review of the related files corresponding to this application was not possible. In order to ensure a complete record in the subject application, this second Request for Continued Examination and a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement are filed herewith.

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In view of the amendments and remarks herein, reconsideration and allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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